FISCAL NOTE

SB 2246

January 28, 2002

SUMMARY OF BILL: Increases the fee from \$4 to \$8 for a driver's or owner's agent or legal representative to obtain a copy of a motor vehicle accident report from the Department of Safety. The fee for the driver or owner to obtain such report would remain \$4. Specifies that the additional \$4 charged to such agents or representatives shall be earmarked as follows: \$3 for the retirement fund for members of the Tennessee Highway Patrol and \$1 for improvement of driver testing centers.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Increase State Revenues - Less than \$100,000

Estimate assumes:

- approximately 16,000 accident reports would be requested annually by agents or legal representatives of drivers.
- the state will experience an increase in revenues of less than \$100,000 from the increased fee for such reports.
- 75% of such revenues will be deposited in the Highway Patrol Retirement Fund.
- 25% of such revenues will be used to improve driver testing centers.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

James A. Davenport, Executive Director

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